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South Carolina Public Service Commission

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Columbia, SC 29210

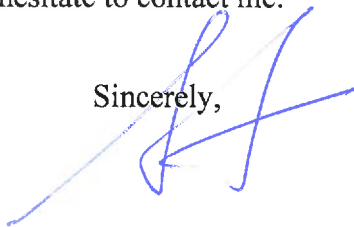
Re: Application of CenturyTel Broadband Services, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Competing Local Exchange, Exchange access and Interchange Telecommunications Services in the State of South Carolina and for Alternative and Flexible Regulation
Docket No. 2021-336-C

Dear Ms. Boyd:

Enclosed please find for filing the Affidavit of Publication, on behalf of CenturyTel Broadband Services, LLC ("CenturyTel") in the above referenced matter. By copy of this correspondence, I am serving all parties of record.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. If you have any questions or require additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Scott Elliott

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Enclosure

cc: All parties of Record (Via Electronic Mail)



Beaufort Gazette
Belleville News-Democrat
Bellingham Herald
Bradenton Herald
Centre Daily Times
Charlotte Observer
Columbus Ledger-Enquirer
Fresno Bee

The Herald - Rock Hill
Herald Sun - Durham
Idaho Statesman
Island Packet
Kansas City Star
Lexington Herald-Leader
Merced Sun-Star
Miami Herald

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Modesto Bee
Raleigh News & Observer
The Olympian
Sacramento Bee
Fort Worth Star-Telegram
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Notice of Filing and Hearing

Why is this Notice Important?

The Public Service Commission has scheduled a public hearing. To learn more, you can visit this link: <https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/117984>. This notice is important because CenturyTel Broadband Services, LLC (CTBS) has filed an Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide telecommunications services in South Carolina.

What is CenturyTel Broadband Services, LLC asking the Commission to approve?

A Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to provide the following:

Facilities-Based and Resold Local Exchange Services

Exchange Access Services

Interexchange Telecommunication Services

Alternative and Flexible Regulation

Applicant is seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to operate as a Competing Local Exchange Carrier ("CLEC") and as an Interexchange Carrier ("IXC") for the provision of these services throughout South Carolina. CTBS will offer a complete range of competitive local exchange and interexchange services.

To read all of the issues involved in this case, please view the full case file at <https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/117984>.

Who is the Public Service Commission (PSC)?

The PSC watches over businesses that provide necessary services for day-to-day life, such as the telecommunications services provided by CenturyTel Broadband Services, LLC.

What is the Case Number?

Docket No. 2021-336-C

Where can I find this Case on the internet?

<https://dms.psc.sc.gov/Web/Dockets/Detail/117984>

Who Filed this Case?

CenturyTel Broadband Services, LLC

When will the Commission hear the Company's case?

Monday, January 31, 2022 at 10:00 a.m. This hearing is virtual unless changed by the Commission. This hearing will be heard by Hearing Examiner Sandra Moser, Esquire.

Where: 101 Executive Center Drive, Hearing Room

Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Live stream the Hearing at <https://www.sctv.org/psc>

How can I participate in the Company's case?

Option 1:

File Public Comments or Letters of Protest by emailing contact@psc.sc.gov

-OR-

Mail Public Comments or Letters of Protest to 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Option 2:

File a Petition to Intervene to become an intervenor. An intervenor has the right to testify, cross-examine witnesses, and appeal the Commission's final decision.

You may file a Petition to Intervene by:

Emailing contact@psc.sc.gov no later than Monday, December 27, 2021

-OR-

Mailing a Petition to Intervene to 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100, Columbia, SC 29210 no later than Monday, December 27, 2021. Please include your email address.

You must give a copy of your petition to intervene to all Parties in this case.

PLEASE BE ADVISED pursuant to S.C. Code Ann. Section 58-9-260, as amended, the Commission will invoke the 120-day period allowed for consideration of this matter.

*The Case was filed according to S.C. Code Ann. § 58-9-280 and § 58-9-310.

**This Hearing has been scheduled according to S.C. Code Ann. Regs. 103-817 and S.C. Code Ann. § 58-9-280.

Who can I talk to about this Notice?

CenturyTel Broadband Services, LLC

803-771-0555

Office of Regulatory Staff

803-737-5230 or 1-800-922-1531

Department of Consumer Affairs

803-734-4200 or 1-800-922-1594

Public Service Commission

803-896-5100

If the tariffs in this case contain a request for change of rates, the rates could be changed by the Commission in this case.

Persons seeking further information about the Commission's procedures should contact the Commission at (803) 896-5100 or visit its website at www.psc.sc.gov.

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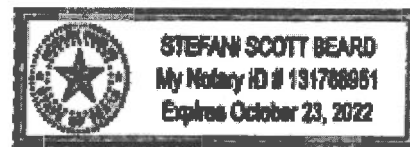
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned employee of Elliott & Elliott, P.A. does hereby certify that she has served below listed parties with a copy of the pleading(s) indicated below by mailing a copy of same to them via Electronic Mail, on the date indicated below:

RE: Application of CenturyTel Broadband Services, LLC for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to Provide Competing Local Exchange, Exchange access and Interchange Telecommunications Services in the State of South Carolina and for Alternative and Flexible Regulation

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